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This document, dedicated to the landscapes of the Galapagos Islands, presents a series of photographs by the British researcher Godfrey Merlen, preserved as slides in the audiovisual collection of the Library, Archive & Museum of the Charles Darwin Foundation.

Other volumes in this series of Merlen's publications combine the images with narrative fragments taken from historical literature. In this case, it has been preferred that the author himself, through his snapshots and the notes added in the frames of his slides, speaks directly.

The notes referred to in the previous paragraph are sometimes reduced to a simple order number or a date, which does not always allow a clear identification of the places presented in the photos.

Our thanks to Godfrey Merlen for the images: a testimony of the physical and scenographic geography of the Encantadas.

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 ${\it Coastal \, vegetation. \, SW \, San \, Cristobal \, in \, sunset.}$



02.11.0492

Sea crash. C[ape] Douglas. [Isabela], 27. Jul. [...].



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Fernandina. 25. Jul. [...].

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02.20.0662

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04.08.0153

Patterns in vegetation. N. Isabela. 20. Oct. 95. N04.



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View of Pta. Mangle [Fernandina]. 21. May 94.



04.14.0250

N. Seymour. 10.



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Ratty [at] dawn at Isabela. Canal de Bolívar. 462. 9. May 94 F07.



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Kipuka (vegitation [sic] island). Marchena Island. Galapagos. 2. Jul. 89 F01.



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Scenery. Dawn over shield volcano. Fernandina. 34. Oct. 95 N04.



08.08.0618

Fernandina evening. 5. May 94 F07.



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Lagoon reflections. Floreana, Galapagos. 2. Jul. 96.



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North Fernandina. Aerial photo of the arid zone. 31. Aug. 88.



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